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Donna Shalala, Secretary  
U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services  
2000 Independence Ave, SW.  
Washington, DC. 20201

Dear Secretary Shalala,

We are writing to urge you to retain prominent, permanent and precise labels for foods treated with radiation. Because we care about the foods we consume and because we are concerned about irradiated foods, we want to be able to easily recognize and ascertain whether a food product is irradiated -- whether packaged or not. We believe we, as consumers, have the right to know so that we may make conscious choices of our food intake. Please support consumer rights to honest labeling and displaying, hence consumer rights to full knowledge of food radiations.

Thank you so much for your time and consideration,

Sincerely,  
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